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Davis Midwife Case Attracts Attention From Many Areas

FARMINGTON, Utah (UPI) — The trial of midwife Ronna Hand on charges she practiced medicine without a license is more than a month away, but it is already attracting widespread interest.

Ms. Hand was arraigned Tuesday on charges she illegally administered a drug to a pregnant woman during a July 10 home birth. The trial of the Kaysville woman was scheduled for Dec. 14.

But, during her arraignment, more than 60 supporters picketed the Davis County Courthouse. They claimed the real issue in the trial is a woman's right to give birth at home.

The protesters claimed the Davis County Attorney's Office and the state's medical profession are trying to stop home childbirth.

Sandra Vivien, Provo, said "a large number" of women who have had home births comprised the nucleus of Tuesday's protesters.



Midwife Ronna Hand of Kaysville meets with her supporters outside the Davis County Courthouse after her arraignment.

Sports

Former Cougar Runner Chases Golden Dream

If it were a movie you would title it "Chariots of Fire" or "Rocky" and you could take literary license and make certain it had the kind of ending it deserves.

But it isn't a movie or a book — it's just one real man's Magnificent Obsession.

It is real life. And in real life the endings aren't always of the "lived happily ever after" variety.

That's why Fred Behrmann's glorious quest is so fascinating. You don't know if he will reach his impossible dream.

You want him to. Lord, how you want him to. But you don't know. You just don't know.

Still, you can pull for him, cheer for him, hope for him to pull it off.

Certainly, Fred Behrmann is doing his part.

Fred Behrmann has a dream, but he is no

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meter affair run over seven-and-a-half laps on a 400-meter track during which the runners have to clear four barriers on each lap. One of the barriers is a water hazard.

Salt Lake City lawyer Henry Marsh, another former Cougar,

In 1977-79 he served an LDS Mission in Hamburg, Germany. Afterward he graduated from BYU with a degree in Communications, Human Resource Development with a 3.2 GPA.

He is 25-years-old, single and dedicated. He stands 5-8 and

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